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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

Please keep the Bridge 2 Broadband competition in tact. We need local competition to offset large corporation dominance. Competition in the market place is a must to create innovative ideas and fees competitive. This impacts telephone and internet services - which need to develop and expand in this environment.

Sincerely,

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